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MEDIA ALERT

Forest Service and Owl Creek Horse Volunteers Host Free Stock Packing Clinic

WHAT: The U.S. Forest Service - Bankhead Ranger District and the Owl Creek Horse Trail Volunteers are hosting a Stock Packing Clinic that is free to the public. Forest Service recreation personnel and trail riders will provide information and give demonstrations on pack saddles, hitches, knots, Leave No Trace ethics, and horse etiquette on national forest system trails.

WHO: U.S. Forest Service - Bankhead Ranger District and the Owl Creek Horse Trail volunteers.

WHEN: December 1, 2007 beginning at 12 p.m.- 4 p.m.

WHERE: KC Ranch and Horse Camp, 415 County Rd. 3003, Double Springs, Alabama

CONTACT: If you are planning to attend, contact Shirley Watts - Bankhead District, 205-489-5111 or Ken McDonald - 205-489-5474

DIRECTIONS: KC Ranch and Horse Camp - From Double Springs travel north on Highway 33 to mile marker # 4. Turn west onto County Rd 2, turn south onto County Rd 47 then east onto County Rd 3003 and follow signs into camp.

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